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## LAKE EROSION SERIOUS PROBLEM

See That Great, Big Smile



pictured above is the one and only A. R. "Sandy" Globe, in one of his happiest moods. He is always that way when receiving money for the West Lincoln Memorial Hospital. In this lay-out Miss Douglas McRobbie, Superintendent of the hospital, is helping "Sandy" smile as they accept a

cheque for the hospital for \$500 from Mrs. Herman Hodgkins (right) of Smithville. Mrs. Hodgkins is convener of the hospital fund for the Dorcas Chapter, O.E.S., of Smithville, which along with other women organizations throughout the district are doing a great work in getting the new hospital established.—Cut courtesy St. Catharines Standard.

### DESTRUCTION TREMENDOUS

Time Has Arrived When Town And Township Officials Must Take Action—Waterworks Pump House Is In Danger—Solid, Single Piers Have Proved To Be More Destructive Than Beneficial—Township Pier Should Be Dynamited.

First organized attempt to halt lakefront erosion was launched in Hamilton last Tuesday night when the Toronto to Niagara Lake Shore Protective Association was formed. The association, representative of 20 municipalities along the 85-mile lakefront stretch, will ask Dominion and provincial government for financial assistance, and may even be expanded to include municipalities eastward from Toronto to Kingston.

Lew W. McConkey, Mayor of Niagara-on-the-Lake, who organized the meeting held at the Royal Connaught Hotel, was elected chairman of the newly formed association. Reeve Charles Hillmer, Oakville, was chosen vice-chairman and S. H. Fleming, K.C., St. Catharines, was elected secretary. More than 50 persons, comprising municipal officials and property owners, attended the meeting.

Sydney M. Wood, Chicago, a member of the Illinois Society of Engineers, and an expert on per-

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A Good Example Of What Is Taking Place



This picture was taken at Grimsby Beach and shows quite plainly the great damage that is being done to property by the lake erosion. 25 years ago the cottages in the picture were at least 50 feet or more back from the edge of the bank. A glance along that shore line tells its own story of the inroads that the lake is making on the valuable farm lands.

### Home At Last



F.O. A. K. Norton, R.C.A.F., son of Arthur and Mrs. Norton, Ontario street arrived home from overseas on Monday night. Bert enlisted in May 1940, trained in various centres in Canada and was transferred to the Ferry Command, where he flew out of Bermuda, Jamaica, India and Egypt. In his travels he just about circled the globe.

### Won All His Own Plowing Prizes

Chester Lane Of St. Ann's Champion Of Lincoln County Match—Bad Weather.

Chester Lane, R.R. 1, St. Anna, President of the Lincoln County Plowmen's Association, swept the major prizes at his own plowing match last Wednesday. The annual county match was held a mile south of Campden on the farm of Arthur Ecker in bitter weather which combined with wet ground to make plowing the most difficult in many years of matches.

Mr. Lane, who won the prize as oldest plowman in competition—43 years old—proved that experience is a good teacher. For he took the grand championship for best land plowed during the match; best plowed land for entrants from Lincoln County; best finish; and best in the jointer class for Lincoln competitors.

Entries in the 11 classes dropped a little from last year, partly due to the weather, and partly due to the fact that Norfolk County, which held its match last Tuesday, attracted some plowmen from more distant points who usually come to Lincoln. Despite the win-

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### Canadians Make Old Crates New

Major Frank Shoebridge In Charge Of A Canadian Rehabilitation Trades School—Sees Grimsby Boys.

England  
Oct. 24, 1945

Dear Mother:

Many changes have taken place since the war ended and now everybody, including myself is most concerned with getting home. I hoped I should be on my way, but am now Administrative Officer, back in my old unit, which has now become a Rehabilitation Trades School. The work is very interesting and pleasant, and it should benefit me. I see quite a lot of chaps I know passing through, and I have only just come from a visit to Lloyd Fair of Grimsby Beach. The boys all look me up.

We have the best of equipment and are conducting at present 12 courses and are considering adding two more. One thing is most gratifying and that is the interest displayed by the students. I wish I

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### Big Increase In Local Telephones

Over 950 Subscribers On Grimsby Central—Company Still Has a Waiting List For Phones.

Despite the fact that the total number of telephones in Grimsby has increased to over 950, or 30 percent more than at the outbreak of war, there are still some 25 applicants on the waiting list for service, according to H. T. Stewart, the Bell Telephone Company's manager here.

While the problems of reconversion are gradually being solved and in increasing supply of telephone equipment is being made available for civilian uses, it will likely be 1947 before the full post-war tempo is achieved and all new orders filled on demand.

Factors in the supply of telephone service come under several main categories: the telephone instrument itself; the lines connecting it to the exchange; the equipment in the exchange and the buildings to house this equipment.

Naturally, if any one of these is unavailable, the installation of telephone service is necessarily delayed. Company officials state that the first of these factors to show improvement is the supply of telephone instruments. As far as possible, applicants are being handled

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### Arrived Monday



Flight Lieut. Walter H. Morris, son of Harry and Mrs. Morris, St. Andrew's avenue, who arrived home from overseas on Monday night after three years' service. He was a specialist on Radar and had charge of other secret work for the R.C.A.F. The above picture shows the young officer with his bride at the time of their marriage in England a year ago.

### Salvage Will Be Collected Nov. 10

Canadian Legion Members Will Henceforth Handle Salvage In The District—Get Yours Ready.

West Lincoln Branch 127, Canadian Legion has taken over the duties of collecting salvage in Grimsby and North Grimsby. Geo. Warner is the chairman in charge of the committee that will handle the work.

Salvage will be collected for the first time in the town and township on Saturday, November 10th. Legion members will supply several trucks and the necessary help to do the job in a fast and efficient manner.

Place all your old newspapers, magazines, bottle and broken glass old rags, etc. out at the curb or roadside on Saturday the 10th and the truck will pick it up and take it away.

A storage house has been secured by the Legion on the farm of Awrey Lipsit, Nelles Road and here the salvage will be sorted, packed and shipped.

## Fruit By Air

A housewife's dream—the choicest spinach and waste-free peas freshly picked in California and on sale in Toronto the next day—may soon become a reality, made possible by air express.

This was the picture developed here last week by James A. Wooten, cargo traffic manager of American Air Lines Inc., who addressed the Toronto Advertising and Sales Club.

It was a picture based on practical demonstrations by American Air Lines of the new product possibilities developed by air express.

The speaker stressed that air express must not be thought of as being in competition with rail rates, rather it was to be looked upon as opening new vistas in marketing and product promotion.

Women's dresses are being delivered by air express in the United States at an average cost of 17 cents per dress, thereby saving considerable in mark-downs necessitated with dresses behind the fashion of the hour, he said.

A 2,000-mile mail order service in competition with mail order houses and department stores in the immediate sales area has also been made possible by air express, Mr. Wooten said.

Sign YOUR NAME FOR VICTORY

## THERE ARE STILL 125 GRIMSBY SERVICE PERSONNEL OVERSEAS

### FORMER GRIMSBY BOY SERVES HIS COUNTRY FOR MANY YEARS

#### Returns Home



Gnr. J. N. Sutherland, youngest son of Mrs. N. R. Sutherland, Robinson street south, came home on the Queen Elizabeth. Jack enlisted in October 1940, with Major Art. Biggar, in the Royal Canadian Artillery and went overseas in August, 1941. In England his unit was turned into an Ack-Ack battery and as such was all through the Sicilian and Italian campaigns and then made the big trek into Germany last winter.

### Grimsby Weather

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday  
October 29.  
Highest temperature 63.5  
Lowest temperature 34.0  
Mean temperature 44.9  
Precipitation 0.62 inches

Colonel Stephen B. Nelles Retires As City Comptroller Of Regina At Age Of 75—20 Years On Job.

#### A GRAND OLD MAN

Went West When a Young Man—Long Interested In Military Affairs—Attended Jubilee Of Queen Victoria.

NOTE:—The following articles from the Regina Leader-Post will be of interest to many people in this district. The Col. Stephen Nelles mentioned therein is a brother of Norman Nelles and Mrs. H. F. Baker, North Grimsby—Ed.

Colonel Stephen Bell Nelles, for 20 years comptroller for the city, is laying aside his auditing books and retiring on Sept. 30.

One of the "grand old men" of Regina, 75-year-old Col. Nelles has been here since 1905. Retired or not, he plans to stay in Regina because he says: "I know of no better place to go."

He will be succeeded by John W. Watmore who has been with the department since 1928 and who has recently returned from five years service in the forces.

Col. Nelles opened the city (Continued from page 7)

### Grimsby Soldier Speaks Right Out

Troops In Holland Are Disgusted With Tactics Of Folks At Home Over Meat Rationing.

In a recent letter to his mother in Grimsby, Lt. Bdr. W. L. Muir writes from Holland as follows: "We have been reading in our papers of the butchers', miners' and longshore men's strikes over meat rationing in Canada—To put it mildly, most of us think their attitude is disgusting when you see how little the people on this side have to live on. When fresh vegetables and fruit are gone they will be sorely pressed in the cold weather to get sufficient food. We have already heard of people in (Continued on page 7)

Your Money Is Needed To Bring Them Home—To Take Care Of Sick And Injured And Rehabilitate Them All—Grimsby Loan Drive Is Ahead Of Last Loan By \$8,000—Delaplanche Is Leading Salesman.

Hard work and persistent effort on the part of the salesmen and the committee members, has turned a bad beginning into a more rosy outlook in the Grimsby Victory Loan drive.

Up until Tuesday night a total of \$232,850 worth of bonds had been subscribed for in the two municipalities. This is \$8,850 ahead of the same period in the last loan.

To Tuesday night the sales have been as follows:

	This loan	Last loan
1st day	\$33,200	\$41,200.
2nd day	\$18,050	\$32,600.
3rd day	\$17,450	\$23,600.
4th day	\$22,450	\$27,300.
5th day	\$39,350	\$20,300.
6th day	\$24,700	\$ 7,300.
7th day	\$44,150	\$35,600.
8th day	\$33,500	\$15,050.

Pay roll deductions on subscription, among the employees of the various factories, are not included in the above amounts for this loan, (Continued on page 8)

### Still On The Job



Harry Holmes, well known Grimsby resident, who tomorrow—November 2nd—celebrates his 75th birthday. 27 of those years he has been a continuous employee of the Canadian Canners at the Todd factory. Congratulations.



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## DISCHARGED PERSONNEL MAY RETURN TO OLD JOBS

The Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act, passed by Parliament in 1942, sets forth conditions under which employers MUST REINSTATE their former employees in their employment after discharge.

This Act and its Regulations are administered by the Dominion Minister of Labour, through the National Employment Service. Reinstatement Officers are available in the National Employment Offices to answer inquiries, and assist in adjusting cases.

Employees—either men or women—are to be reinstated if:

- they worked for their employer 3 months immediately prior to enlistment, and were not replacing another employee who has since been reinstated;
- they left their employment to join the Armed Services, the Merchant Marine, or the Fire Fighters Corps;
- they apply to their employer for reinstatement, verbally or in writing, within 3 months following discharge in Canada or 4 months if discharged Overseas.

Provision may be made for extension of time if the employee's health prevents him or her from returning within the specified three months. In this event, the employer must be advised within the 3 or 4 months, as the case may be.

The following points in the legislation are also important:

- Discharged men and women upon reinstatement are to be given conditions not less favourable than would have been enjoyed had they continued in employment instead of joining the Forces.
- The period of time spent with the Armed Services is to count for seniority rights, pension rights, vacations with pay, and certain other benefits.
- Discharged personnel who cannot perform their former duties are to be reinstated in the most suitable employment available, at which they are capable of working.
- If an employer dismisses a reinstated employee within 6 months, he must be able to prove in court that he had reasonable cause for so doing.

ALL EX-SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN ARE  
URGED TO USE THE FACILITIES OF THE  
NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE  
WHEN LOOKING FOR WORK.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR  
HUMPHREY MITCHELL A. MacNAMARA  
Minister of Labour Deputy Minister of Labour

## WITH THE TRUNDLERS

### Grimsby Men's Bowling Scores

Sheet Metal	903	1041	813-3
Legion	792	881	929-1
Nail Punchers	859	722	938-1
St. Andrew's	966	953	896-3
Legionaires	684	903	1046-2
Owls Club	762	945	807-2
Wonders	758	961	1012-3
You Dee Ella	749	1030	881-1
Legion	804	893	737-0
Owls Club	811	988	1024-4
St. Andrew's	718	808	743-2
Barbers	737	713	806-2
Legionaires	732	805	895-1
Peach Kings	898	933	889-3
Wonders	927	1060	1141-3
Generals	1059	892	1045-1
Hep Cats	862	816	970-0
Pirates	1218	1051	1179-4
Counter Hoppers	915	999	936-0
Pin Twisters	994	1167	1289-4
Sheet Metal	911	856	1185-4
Nail Punchers	743	798	832-0
You Dee Ella	893	1017	920-1
Monarchs	1027	851	1020-3

### Games Next Week

Monday, November 5th
7.30—Firmen vs. Pony Express.
7.30—Boulevard vs. Iron Dukes.
9.00—Hep Cats vs. West End.
9.00—Pirates vs. Butchers.
Tuesday, November 6th
7.30—Black Cats vs. Pin Twisters.
7.30—Gas House vs. C. Hoppers.
9.00—Legion vs. You Dee Ella.
9.00—Generals vs. Owls Club.
Wednesday, November 7th
7.30—Barbers vs. Sheet Metal.
7.30—N. Punchers vs. Legionaires.
9.00—Monarchs vs. Peach Kings.
9.00—Wonders vs. St. Andrew's.

### G.H.S. 3, Ridley 0

On Friday last Grimsby seniors won a close 3-0 decision from Ridley College 6th at Ridley. A wet muddy field plus a cold North-West wind made conditions generally bad throughout the game.

Grimsby being the visitors were given the choice, and elected to receive. The Ridley kick was taken by Jewson on his own twenty-five yard line and returned to the forty. Play now settled down to a battle of bucks and short passes. Near the end of the first quarter a Ridley fumble deep in their own territory placed the ball within one yard of the Ridley goal line, in Ridley's possession. The attempt by Ridley to kick out of danger was blocked, scoring a single point for Grimsby.

Grimsby's second point came early in the second quarter when Graham kicked a low end over end ball which bounced behind the Ridley line, then out of bounds.

The third tally came in the third quarter. It was scored in the same manner as the second, a long low kick rolling out of bounds behind the Ridley line.

The fourth quarter was by far the most active. The Grimsby boys seemed suddenly to come to life, bottling the Ridley team in their own end of the field for most of the quarter. However they were not able to strike a scoring combination. The game ended with the interception of a Ridley pass by Riches, placing the ball on Ridley's thirty in possession of Grimsby.

The slippery condition of the field and ball made running plays dangerous and ineffective, so the game became a kicker's battle.

"Muscles" Graham who handled Grimsby's kicking duties, came through with a top notch display of toe work, having only one kick partly blocked throughout the entire game. Graham kicked two of Grimsby's three points, one of them against the wind. Several times he broke up Ridley scoring threats by kicking out of danger.

The teams seemed to be of about equal strength although Grimsby had a definite margin in the kicking department. Without doubt it was this advantage which won the game.

This is the second victory for the senior team in the same number of starts, as they have held Ridley College scoreless in two tries.

Final Score—Grimsby 3, Ridley 0.

Starting Lines:

Grimsby—Flying Wing: Fisher; Halves, Marr, Bedford, Graham; Quarter: Jewson; Snap: Riches; Insides: Kapusty, Martin; Mid-dies: Jones, Marucci; Ends: Lind-ensmith, Catton.

Ridley College—Flying Wing: Fer-gusson; Halves: Derry, Meyer, Hudson; Quarter: Smith; Snap: Bartrop; Insides: Erenburg, Mc-Kishnie; Mid-dies: Harris, Miller; Ends: Carter, Wilkinson.

### Peach Queens Bowling League

South Haven	626	790	572-0
Viceroy	662	814	896-3
Vanguard	645	499	802-0
Vedette	811	868	833-3
John Hall	609	623	952-1
Veterans	719	672	731-2
Golden Drop	766	672	718-3
Rochester	520	561	519-0
St. John	672	601	647-1
Elberta	662	671	672-2
Mayflower	608	783	793-1
Vimy	655	804	724-2
Victory	776	645	789-2
Crawford	711	842	714-1
Ad. Dewey	710	689	657-0
Vallant	862	917	920-3
High average—Mary Norton	—212		
High triple—Mary Norton	—745.		
High single—Mary Norton	—310.		
Special Prize—team with highest score—Vallant, Mary Norton	—2699.		

### Future Games

Thursday, November 1st
7.30—St. John vs. Golden Drop.
7.30—Crawford vs. Veterans.
9.00—Mayflower vs. Vanguard.
9.00—Ad. Dewey vs. S. Havens.
Friday, November 2nd
7.30—Elberta vs. Rochester.
7.30—John Hall vs. Victory.
9.00—Vedettes vs. Vimy.
9.00—Vallants vs. Viceroy.
Thursday, November 8th
7.30—South Haven vs. Crawford.
7.30—Golden Drop vs. Mayflower.
9.00—Veterans vs. Ad. Dewey.
9.00—St. John vs. Vanguard.
Friday, November 9th
7.30—Vallant vs. John Hall.
7.30—Victory vs. Viceroy.
9.00—Vimy vs. Rochester.
9.00—Elberta vs. Vedettes.

Games to start at 7.30 p.m. and 9.00 p.m.

Players later than 7.35 and 9.05 will cause their team to default the first game.

### New Polisher Does Fine Job

Bowling addicts are more than pleased with the magnificent shape that the alleys of The Bowlway are in. They are glossy as glass and fast as lightning.

The Little Whizzer has always kept his alleys in excellent shape, they are now better than ever before, due to the fact that he has recently purchased a new \$400, cleaning, waxing and polishing machine.

This machine is electrically driven. He first puts a solution of cleaning compound and wax on the alley and then goes over it with the machine, much the same as a woman uses a vacuum cleaner. This revolving brush cleans the alley and also rubs the wax into the wood.

Then a polishing brush is put into the machine and is slowly run over the surface and the result is a glossy finish that fairly glistens in the light, and makes the alleys very keen and fast.

### Records Broken Every Which Way

The boys were on fire at The Bowlway on Tuesday night. Records of all kinds went by the boards. First the Pirates hung up a new three game score record for the alleys with 3448, but an hour later the Pin Twisters busted that figure and hung up the all time three game score of 3450.

Pirates were playing against the Hep Cats. In the 15 games rolled by the Pirates 12 of them were over 200. The five man team led by Charlie Norman trundled as follows—615—539—745—678—871.

Pin Twisters keeling against the Counter Jumpers even surprised themselves. The six man team rolled, 514—340—636—669—703—588. Mert Zimmerman just back from deer hunting, with out any deer, only bowled two games but they were 260—328 for a 588. The Twisters had nine games over 200.

Despite the fact that his Hoppers got trimmed, Mel Smith hung up a high score of 830, rolling 250—332—248.

The nation hasn't returned to its old way of living. There has been quite a while since we had a siege of child brides.

At least you can say one thing for the great artists of the past. You could at least understand what the painting represented.

# NOTICE

TO ALL HOG  
PRODUCERS IN  
LINCOLN COUNTY

## HOG MARKETING SCHEME UNDER CONSIDERATION



A proposed Hog Marketing Scheme for Ontario, under the Farm Products

Control Act, has been submitted to the Farm Products Control Board by the Ontario Hog Producers Association.

Before the Board will consider recommending the scheme, it must be satisfied that a fair representation of the Hog Producers are in favour of its adoption. In order to obtain the recorded views of the Producers, a vote by ballot is being taken on the question.....

"ARE YOU IN FAVOUR OF THE PROPOSED ONTARIO HOG PRODUCERS MARKETING SCHEME BEING BROUGHT INTO FORCE IN ONTARIO?"

YOUR AGRICULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE

E. F. Neff  
ST. CATHARINES

ALL HOG PRODUCERS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO REGISTER, TO ATTEND THE MEETING IN THEIR AREA -- AND TO VOTE!

ONTARIO FARM PRODUCTS CONTROL BOARD

C. F. PERKIN

CHAIRMAN

## ALL PRODUCERS MUST REGISTER



Only Hog Producers who are registered for the purpose with their own County Agricultural Representative will be entitled to vote on the scheme. All Hog Producers are therefore urged to register at once by mail or in person at their County Agricultural Representative's office in order to be eligible to vote. When registering by mail, please forward name, address and township.

## PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD



at  
VICTORIA HALL,  
VINELAND  
THURSDAY, NOV. 15th  
at 1:30 p.m.

At this meeting the scheme will be explained fully and questions answered. Ballots will be supplied at the meeting to producers who have registered, so that they may vote then. Registrations will be accepted at the meeting and also for ten days after it. All producers who are registered will receive ballots, either at the Agricultural Representative's office, at the meeting or by mail. Copies of the proposed scheme may be secured at the Agricultural Representative's office or at the public meeting.

All ballots must be returned to the Agricultural Representative before December 8, 1945. Any Ballots received after that date will not be recorded.

## The Village Banker says:

YOUR NOTES ARE DUE

# PAY UP

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# CONTINUATIONS

From Page One

### GRIMSBY SOLDIER

Southern France starving for want of food. If the Canadian people are backing these strikes they deserve to have their rations cut down closer to the European standard. It looks phony to us."

In an earlier letter he wrote that the Germans had cleaned out Holland of all its potatoes and butter and other foods. They collected so much butter they used it to grease their tank treads.

The Dutch were so run down from hunger they looked like invalids just out of bed. Children hung around Canadian mess room begging for scraps, and men and women did the same. The writer of the letters was through the Sicily and Italy campaign, and spent many summers in Grimsby.

### FORMER GRIMSBY

comptroller's office in 1926, and was the first to receive the appointment as its head. Before that he had opened the Bank of Canada in the city, though it was then known as the assistant receiver-general's office.

When he first knew the city there was nothing south of Victoria Avenue. When he later built his house at 2912 Rae street, it was the only one in the block.

### Born in Grimsby

Col. Nelles was born in Grimsby, Ont., in 1871, of United Empire Loyalist stock. He tells with pride that his family originally settled in the Niagara peninsula in 1789, refugees from the American revolution. They named the town of Grimsby after the place where they used to live in England. Traced far enough back, Col. Nelles claims Scottish ancestry.

By this time, however, his family is thoroughly Canadian. Col. Nelles recalls one incident in the last war when he was at Passchendaele, where Canadians played a leading role. He and another soldier were "sticking it out" while shells burst all around. One landed particularly close, and his comrade turned to Col. Nelles and said:

"I'll bet I'm more Canadian than you."

"I'll bet you're not," the Colonel retorted.

The soldier claimed his family had been in Canada for six generations, but it still turned out to be for a shorter time than the colonels.

Upon the completion of his education at Grimsby collegiate institute, Col. Nelles went to Toronto to try out his fortune. It turned out to be a job at \$10 a month.

He joined the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation and stayed with it for 20 years, first at Toronto later at Winnipeg and Regina. He was with Sun Life Insurance company for awhile, was assistant receiver general in the Regina post office, and then went into the service of the city.

### In Military Affairs

From his youth, Col. Nelles has been interested in military affairs. In Toronto he joined the Queen's Own Regiment as a private, worked his way up through the Little Black Devils in Winnipeg, the 95th Battalion and others, finally winding up with the 152nd Battalion at Weyburn and overseas.

In 1897 Col. Nelles was one of four chosen from the 90th Regiment at Winnipeg to go to England for the Queen's diamond jubilee.

He has been an active supporter of the Children's Aid Society ever since it was first formed in the city. He also helped establish the Lakeview Sunday school, which in 1939 had several hundred children in attendance. When the Wascana Country club was formed, the colonel was one of the first members. The Baby's welfare and the Victorian Order of Nurses were among the other things that shared his attentions.

But his big interest has always been in things military. He was officer commanding the Second reserve unit in the city when it existed. In 1928 he was decorated with the colonial auxiliary long service medal.

His wife, Mrs. Nelles, is a Prince Edward Islander. Their four sons have mirrored the colonel's military leanings, judging from their record.

Surgeon Lt. S. B. Nelles, whose wife and three children are in Regina, is serving in the Far East. Lt. R. L. Nelles is in military hospital at Portage la Prairie. Capt. J. S. Nelles is attending the University of Saskatchewan after three years overseas. Sgmn. J. C. Nelles, who joined up at 17, is now at home and going to school.

You can spot the man who talks about the equality of all men. He wants something the other fellow owns.

### LAKE EROSION

meable types of piers to prevent soil erosion addressed the meeting. He presented illustrated views to support his submission that permeable piers will prevent erosion as against solid piers and breakwaters.

Annually lakefront property owners are suffering a tremendous loss of property washed into the lake by the constant action of the water. In the past five years in Lincoln County, it is estimated, that an average of 200 feet of land has been undermined and tumbled into the lake. This year, the lake action combined with the abnormally heavy rains, has caused an even greater collapse of lakebank.

A major contributing factor to the erosion, said Mr. Wood, was the removal of sand and gravel from beaches and the digging of sand off shore by sand-suckers. He recalled that in one section of Toledo on Lake Erie 1500 feet of land had disappeared since the 1880's.

The type of perforated pier recommended by Mr. Wood permits the current to flow through, the slowing down of the flow of water resulting in sand deposits. A solid pier, he explained, causes a turbulent water action which washes away the sand, eating away the beach and lake bank.

Lake erosion in the Grimsby district has reached very serious proportions, so much so, that unless immediate action is taken the loss not only to land owners, but to the two municipalities in loss of taxation is going to be tremendous. Far greater in the next few years from monetary standpoint than the thousands of dollars expended for protective measures would amount to.

As an example of what this erosion has done in the past 60 years we cite the case of the boundary line marker that was set on the Lake Lodge property, the north-east marker, placed at the time Grimsby was incorporated as a Village in 1876. This marker was placed 150 feet south from the edge of the lake bank. This marker was carried out into the lake in 1910. Since that time the lake has wash-

ed away another 150 feet of land, so that in the past 69 years 300 feet of good farm land has been washed away.

This same thing has been happening all along the lake from Oakville to Niagara, and on down the American shore. Now something must be done and done fast to stop the inroads of the lake or the whole Niagara peninsula faces ruin.

It has been definitely proven that the solid, one piece pier put out in the lake by an individual or a municipality is more destructive than beneficial. Take the North Grimsby Township pier for instance.

This pier in the years since it was built has caused more damage to property than it has done good. Certainly it created a small beach on the east side, but it was the direct cause of more land to be washed away on the west side. Councillor Mitchell is firmly convinced that such is the case and is ready, for his part, to dynamite the pier right away.

Other individual piers constructed at various times along the lake have proved to be more destructive than beneficial and in due course of time were also washed away.

As the situation stands now Grimsby and North Grimsby have got to take some action to protect not only farm property but even the pumping station of the waterworks at the foot of Elizabeth street.

It would pay these two municipalities to immediately get together and have Engineer Wood make a survey of the shore line in the two municipalities and then, acting on his advice, let contracts for the construction of a number of groynes, or special type piers to overcome this erosion.

This special type pier costs in the neighborhood of \$10 to \$15 a lineal foot. Each pier is capable of giving full protection to 500 feet of shore line. This cost could be borne by the provincial government, the municipalities and by the land owners affected. For the town and township to build all the groynes necessary along their shore line would be almost prohibitive, but they certainly are going to have to do something and do it quick from the pump house east to at least Nelles Road.

Twenty years ago the late Mr. Harvey constructed on his lake front at the foot of Maple avenue

a number of summer cottages. The nearest cottage to the lake bank was 40 feet. Today the front part of this cottage is hanging over the bank and will undoubtedly be washed into the lake before Spring.

It is to be hoped that the two municipal councils will get together right away and secure the services of Engineer Wood to make a survey and then in some manner or other have all the groynes possible constructed.

The Independent is gathering more data on this situation and in forthcoming issues will show you just how serious a situation this lake erosion is.

### CANADIANS MAKE

had Bernie here, he would really benefit. We have a shop where wrecked cars are made to look like new. The paint shop teaches interior decorating and sign writing, and in another school the operation of tractor graders and shovels. We also have an up-to-date carpentry and joiners shop; a machine shop, electricians, house wiring and electric motors and generators, a plumbing and heating course, and tinmiths and sheet metal workers class. We have a large welding shop where arc and oxy acetylene welding is taught. It is a grand show.

We have had marvellous weather until two days ago—glorious sunshine with cool foggy nights, and no rain for 23 days, but it sure made up for it when it did start, for it fell in sheets. The place was flooded out.

I am trying to get some new bulbs for your garden but it is getting late now for this year, so I am afraid I shall be disappointed. As it is now possible to get 30

days leave to Canada I am making application, but the percentage of officers permitted to proceed is very small, and it will be a bit of good luck if I am selected. I would like so much to see you, I have been away a long time.

All my love to you,

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### BIG INCREASE IN

in the order in which they applied so that those who have been waiting longest will be served first. It is pointed out, however, that requests for extension telephones in residences will have to be deferred for many months and precedence given to orders from homes in which there is no telephone at all.

### WON ALL HIS OWN

ery weather, several hundred spectators watched the competitions, and the judge, Frank Laidlaw, of Jarvis, reported that some of the plowing was "the best you'll find anywhere."

A rarity for plowing matches was the sight of tandem tractors puffing through the slippery mud, soaked by Monday's rain, to haul plows where a single tractor failed. Bruce Book, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Book, R.R. 3, Smithville, handled a tractor like a veteran to turn in a creditable land. Youngest competitor last Wednesday, he is believed youngest in the history of Lincoln matches.

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# Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

## Poppy Day, Saturday, November 10.

Please phone in your social and personal items.

Karl Oelkuch has returned from a 10 days visit with friends in Newport News, W. Va.

Vernon Barrick who has been very ill in Hamilton hospital is slowly making progress for the better.

Provincial Constable Ernest and Mrs. Hart have moved to Smithville to reside. Their recently vacated apartment on Main west will be occupied by H. T. and Mrs. Stewart.

Mrs. F. J. Burton, Mrs. J. L. Chambers, Mrs. Roy St. John, Mrs. E. L. Sutherland and Mrs. George Warner, of St. Andrew's Women's Auxiliary, attended the deamery meeting which was held in St. Catharines last week.

The Thank Offering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of St. John's Presbyterian Church will be a regular Church service on Sunday evening November 4th at 7 o'clock. The guest speaker will be Mrs. D. McKay of Hamilton, who will speak of her work among the Jewish people.

L.A.C. Arthur Fellows R.C.A.F. arrived home from the west coast accompanied by his wife on Tuesday last, he is on a 48 day leave, pending his discharge. They intend to make their home in Grimsby. Mrs. Fellows is a native of B.C. and had never seen the east until a year ago last summer, when she visited here along with Art on his last furlough. Arthur has about 3½ years service in most of that time at Western Air Command, Vancouver, Patricia Bay and Halifax Bay etc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Black, Beamsville, entertained a number of friends at their home when the guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ransom, who are moving from Beamsville to make their home in Grimsby. After a pleasant evening of entertainment the good wishes of those present were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ransom as well as the pleasure of their friends that the short distance will still enable them to keep the ties of friendship in this community to continue as usual.

## Trinity United Church

W. J. Watt, B.A., B.D., Minister

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4th

11 a.m.—The Aftermath.  
7 p.m.—The Talent of Influence,  
Sunday School at 2.30, Trinity Hall.

## St. John's Presbyterian Church

Francis McAvoy, B.A., B.Th. Minister:

11 a.m.—"Christ Came, Why?"  
2.30—Sunday School.  
7 p.m.—Missionary Thankoffering Service.  
Subject—"My work among the Jews".  
Speaker—Mrs. D. H. Mackay of Hamilton.

## Gospel Hall

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LORD'S DAY  
Breaking of Bread 11 a.m.  
Sunday School 3 p.m.  
Gospel Meeting 7 p.m.

Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.  
— All Welcome —

Chicken supper, Masonic hall, November 8th.

Reeve Charles W. Durham, is confined to his home at Grimsby Beach with illness.

W.S. (Bill) Fellows spent the weekend at home and returned to O.A.C. Guelph on Sunday night.

Father Kohut of the Basilian Fathers Monastery, is on a trip to Mundare and other points in Alberta.

The Baptist Ladies Aid intend holding a "Fair" on Friday November 23rd, afternoon and evening in the Sunday School rooms. There will be tables of home baking sewing and fancy work, novelties etc., and also a program will be given in the evening. Everybody welcome.

Rev. Francis McAvoy, of St. John's Church, has announced that Gordon and Harvey Shafer, of Grimsby, have made and donated to the church a screen of oak, matching the woodwork of the church. An organ, given by A. W. Eickmeier and family in memory of wife and mother, was dedicated two weeks ago.

Lieut. Andrew Stevenson with the Veteran Guards in Southern Alberta, is representing his company as Victory Bond salesman. To date he has more than tripled his quota for the entire campaign. On the 22nd Oct. he was guest speaker at the opening drive for the 9th Victory Loan at Iron Springs, Alta. Mr. Stevenson was a Grimsby salesman for the first Canadian War Bonds of this war.

Mrs. R. C. Standerwick and sons Warren and Kenneth, left this week for Sexsmith, Alberta, where Mrs. Standerwick's father, C. H. Warren, is seriously ill. They will be away for a month or six weeks.

Mrs. Mike Sweet was in Hamilton on Tuesday and Wednesday visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Campbell, formerly of Grimsby, who has been ill and was operated on Wednesday morning at the General Hospital.

At the close of the morning service on Sunday, Rev. Francis McAvoy, on behalf of the congregation of St. John's Presbyterian Church, presented Mrs. Mary Tweney, church organist, with a fine handbag, in appreciation of her services for the past four years. Mrs. Tweney has resigned and will take up residence in the United States. Mrs. Duncan McIntosh has accepted the offer to be organist in her place.

## Prevention

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## Grimsby Baptist Church

R. C. Standerwick, B.A., B.D., Pastor.

SUNDAY, NOV. 4th, 1945  
10 a.m.—Church School for all ages.

11 a.m.—"Thinking of Others" (Communion Service)  
7 p.m.—"Facing up to Sin".  
(Singing of Gospel Songs from the Screen)  
— A Friendly Church —

## I.O.D.E.

Very largely attended on Friday last, was the tea and sale of work held by the Lincoln Loyalist Chapter I.O.D.E. at the home of Mrs. Geo. F. Mitchell, Main Street East.

The tea table was beautifully arranged with a lace cloth and decorated with yellow Mums and Snap Dragon, with tall yellow taper. Four past Regents presided, Mrs. R. N. Wolfenden and Mrs. L. A. Bromley for the first hour, and Mrs. F. Jewson and Mrs. A. V. Catton for the second hour.

Guests were admitted by four members of the Brownies, Judy Baxter, Sheila Moberly, Joanne Dick and Beverly Woodcock, who took turns at opening the door to the guests who were received by the Regent, Mrs. E. A. Buckenham and Mrs. Geo. F. Mitchell.

Mrs. P. V. Smith greeted the guests and invited them to the tea room, where they were served by Miss Olive Kitchen and Mesdames Don. Beamer, C. Walker, T. Sawyer, G. Warner, S. Burgess, H. Corey and D. Thomson, assisted by four members of the Girl Guides, Marie Shafer, Patti Peene, Pat Harrison and Carol Baxter.

In the den, a sale of work was held, convened by Mrs. F. Baisley, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Marsh.

Donations were received at the door by the Treasurer Mrs. B. Snyder.

Mrs. Erwin Phelps was convener for the tea, assisted by a committee composed of Mesdames K. Baxter, A. Alton, H. Brownlee, H. Heaslip, A. V. Catton, and E. F. Morrison.

The proceeds were most gratifying, amounting to slightly more than \$80.00.

## Beaver Club

The Beaver Club of St. John's Presbyterian Church met as usual on Monday evening in the Church rooms.

Plans were made to have a Shuffleboard tournament and Captains were elected for the teams. Mrs. Max Gunning Captain for the Reds and Mrs. L. Foster, Captain for the Blacks.

Several matters of business were attended to, and a word of congratulation to our vice-president, Mrs. H. G. Mogg, for her splendid write-up on the dedication of our new church organ which Mr. A. W. Eickmeier and family gave to the church in memory of Mrs. Eickmeier.

The Beaver Club is planning on modernizing the Church kitchen. Estimates have been obtained and we hope to have the work under way very soon.

Members and friends are asked to remember the Chicken Supper which the Ladies Aid of the Church are holding on November 8th.

Hostesses on Monday October 22nd were Mrs. Eric Garnham and Mrs. L. Foster. Hostesses for Monday October 29th were Mrs. A. Henderson and Mrs. C. McNinch.

## Brownies

At the farewell meeting of Oct. 30 a group picture was taken. The going up Brownies then turned in the badges which they had won during the years they worked and played in Brownland. Each one was presented with a Leaving Certificate.

After roll call and collection of Fairy Gold a small treat was enjoyed in honour of the departing Brownies. The meeting then closed with taps to enable everyone to get home and back to the high school for the all important ceremony in the evening.

## Marriage

MASON—SMITH—At the First Baptist Church, Truro, Nova Scotia, on Saturday Oct. 20th, by the Rev. Ross C. Eaton, Sgt. Virginia Smith, C.W.A.C. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith of Halifax to Sgt. Victor Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason, Grimsby, Ont. The attendants were C. S. M. Townsend and Mrs. Townsend.

## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shelton, of Grimsby, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Mary Ruth, to Frederick George Chivers, R.C.N.V.R., younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald J. Chivers, of Grimsby. Wedding will take place quietly the latter part of November.

## Coming Events

Marjorie's Marionettes presented by United Church Evening Auxiliary, Trinity Hall, Thursday, Nov. 1st, 4.15 and 8 p.m. Admission adults 25c, Children 10c.

## 112th Anniversary At Trinity United

Trinity United Church celebrated its 112th Anniversary last Sunday. The beautiful church auditorium, just recently re-decorated, and made more attractive by the floral offerings of the W.A. was filled to capacity in the morning, and almost filled again for the evening service, the Baptist Church having withdrawn its evening service for the occasion.

The speaker for the day was Rev. J. E. J. Millyard of London, Ont., who, in a most interesting and forceful way gave the worshippers much food for thought. His morning theme was based on the vision of the prophet Ezekiel as given in Chapter thirty-seven of that book. He emphasized the four-fold character of religion, as meeting the need for a rounded Christian life, to consist of Mysticism, intellectuality, service of others, and happiness and peace of heart. His evening theme was "Prevention and Cure," showing the two-fold purpose of the Christian Church's task—viz—Building bulwarks around our youth that will prevent them going astray, and rescuing those folks who get past the bulwarks and require help from beyond themselves.

The musical part of the Anniversary services was on a very high level, under the leadership of Mr. Donald Kennedy, the recently appointed organist and choir-master, the choir being assisted by a male quartette from Weston, which furnished several inspiring numbers at both services.

Taken altogether this Anniversary was a real uplift, and one that will inspire Trinity congregation to reach out for greater heights of attainment and service in the community.

In the story of Methodism in the Niagara peninsula, the name of Grimsby circuit appears first as an official title in 1836 with Rev. Richard Phelps as superintendent minister. Previously Grimsby was in the Canboro circuit. For some years services were held in a school house but in 1844 they held services in the Presbyterian Church and until their own building was erected here in 1865, this building, following church union in 1925, became the Sunday School and centre of midweek activities. There are many descendants of the early pioneers of these two churches on the membership rolls of Trinity United.

## Cubbing

After the opening ceremonies around the totem pole, on Friday, Oct. 26, Jackie Hewitt and Douglas Clark were invested by Akela.

These boys are now tender pads and can take their place in the cub circle. George York was welcomed as a new chum. After the dues collection, a lively game of corner ball was played. Akela then instructed the sixers and seconds in signalling while Bagheera assisted by Allan Baisley and Peter Phelps supervised a flag formation relay. The grey six were the leaders in this.

Since the "going up" of several of the cubs to the scouts a few weeks ago the pack has no senior sixer. All cubs now working on their second star are eligible for this promotion as the first two-star cub will be the new senior sixer.

Bayloo was glad to announce that the long awaited shipment of neckerchiefs had arrived and the boys will now be able to complete their uniforms.

Next Friday Nov. 2, at 7 p.m. will be cubs and scouts parents and friends night. It has been whispered around the jungle that there will be fun for all the grown-ups as well as the cubs and scouts and a hearty invitation is extended to all interested.

## CHICKEN DINNER

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Thursday, Nov. 8

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## I.O.D.E.

The October meeting of the Lincoln Loyalist Chapter I.O.D.E. was held in the Chapter rooms Monday October 29th at 3 p.m., the Regent Mrs. Buckenham presiding.

One new member took her affirmation.

The educational report was given by Mrs. Stevenson and it was decided that 1st and 2nd prizes will be given in Junior and Senior classes, at the Commencement exercises.

War Services report was given by Miss Crane, who stated that a notice had been placed in The Independent asking for names and addresses of boys who will not reach home for Christmas, and as soon as the list is prepared, parcels will be sent out to these boys.

It was with much regret the Chapter learned that Mrs. Elliot, Press convener, intends leaving our midst to take up residence in London. The best wishes of the Chapter will go with her to her new home.

Mrs. Phelps reported on the tea and sale of work held at the home of Mrs. Mitchell, and thanked all those who helped so willingly to make the affair such a grand success. Proceeds from the tea and sale of work amounted to about \$85.00.

Mrs. Wolfenden suggested a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Phelps for her splendid work. Mrs. Jewson reported her plans for Remembrance Day, and announced the parade to the Cemetery will commence at 3 p.m.

## Vinemount News

The fortnightly progressive Euchre and dance sponsored by the members of the Vinemount Women's Institute was held in the W.I. hall Thursday, Oct. 25th. Prize winners were as follows: Mesdames Ernest Tweddie, H. Zoller, Wm. Wilson; Messrs. Charles Kinch, H. Zoller and Murray Tweddie.

The next dance will be held on November 8th. Cards at 8.15 sharp.

Many friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Horning, Tapleytown, Friday evening, to convey congratulations and best wishes to their daughter Doris, who was married to Mr. George McConnell in Ottawa, Saturday, Oct. 20th. The evening was spent playing cards and dancing.

Friends and neighbours held a miscellaneous shower in the W.I. Hall on Monday evening Oct. 22nd, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lounsbury, Smithville, formerly Nettie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, Vinemount. Many

beautiful and useful gifts were received. A programme was given by Miss Grace Whyte. Mr. Fred White, Mrs. Ernest Tweddie, Miss S. St. John, Phyllis Fowler and Doris Thomas. Music was supplied for dancing by a Smithville orchestra.

The October meeting of the mission Circle of Tapleytown United Church was held on Tuesday last at the home of Miss Alice Tweddie the president. Those taking part were Reta and Doris Thomas.

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	250's		
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	CALIFORNIA TOMATOES Firm Ripe	lb.	25¢
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## Grimsby Soldier To Be On Radio

One of Grimsby's four amputated cases, among service men, Capt. James Jenkinson, will speak over the radio to the people of this district on Thursday next, Nov. 8th in the interests of the 9th Victory Loan.

Capt. Jenkinson is still receiving treatment at Christie street hospital but is making this trip especially to talk to the people over CKTB. He will be on the air at 12.25, noon.

Don't fail to hear "Jimmy" as he has a special message for you.

## Gray Coach Lines Buys \$5,000 Bond

Grimsby's Victory Loan campaign got a big boost on Wednesday morning when officials of the Gray Coach Lines signed on the dotted line for a \$5,000 bond.

This subscription was negotiated by C. D. Millyard, local agent for Gray Coach Lines and came as a very welcome surprise to the local loan committee and salesman.

This amount is not included in the bond sales figures appearing elsewhere in this paper.

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## REAL ESTATE

The following properties have just been sold through the office of Winnifred Congdon, Realtor.

"50 acres" grain farm, South Grimsby. Purchaser J. Martin of York Mills. Vendor V. Orct.

Another 5 acres, all in fruit, located in the "Woodview Survey" to P. Bogaart, of Toronto, having just been released from the Air Force.

## Here Is One For Andy Clarke

Andy Clarke over his regular Sunday morning Neighborhood News broadcast has been telling about the length of time that some farms in Ontario have been in the possession of one family.

Well here is one for you Andy. Today there are living on what was originally the late William Nelles farm several of his direct descendants, in the persons of Charles Manson, Councillor Malcolm Nelles, Mrs. H. F. Baker, Norman Nelles. This farm was a crown patent grant to Mr. Nelles who was a United Empire Loyalist. The deed is still in the possession of Malcolm Nelles and bears the date of 1787.

## Deadlines For Christmas Mail

Postmaster L. A. Bromley draws attention of the public to the fact that the deadlines for mailing Christmas parcels for overseas have been set, and unless the public mail their parcels in accordance with these set dates delivery can not be guaranteed in time for Christmas.

The deadline for mailing parcels to points in Continental Europe is November 10th. The deadline for the United Kingdom is November 15th.

The earlier you mail your parcels the less congestion there will be in the postal offices and also will avoid the overcrowding of shipping space.

## Want To Win A \$50 Victory Bond?

Buyers of Victory Bonds should not fail to give to the salesman when he is departing the card that they received through the mail, telling them who their salesman was.

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To make sure that your name is not missed a double check is made at headquarters and if the salesman does not return your card, a second card is made out and placed in the box in your name, but it is better if you give the salesman the original card to turn in.

## Legion Jottings

The next regular meeting of this Branch will be held in the Council Chambers at Grimsby on Nov. 7th, at 8 a.m.

Business before the meeting will be Nomination of Officers for the year 1946. In future the offices of Secretary and Treasurer will not be both held by one member.

Services on Nov. 11th are as follows: Beamsville, Fall in at the Hydro Office at 10.15 p.m.

Grimsby, Fall in at the Independent Building at 2.30 p.m. Service in Romy Theatre, 4.00 p.m.

There will be a Salvage Collection on Nov. 10th, all who are willing to help please notify Comrade G. Warner. About 30 men are needed, also trucks. Come and give a day's work for your Branch.

Those members who are willing to help with the Legion Hall and who have not answered the questionnaire in the last notice are requested to do so, especially in regard to the Legion Band.

## TIMELY VERSE

The melancholy days have come, The saddest of the year, A little too hot for whiskey, A little too cold for beer.

## BREVITIES

### EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID . . . . .

Legion meeting next Wednesday night.

Salvage collection, Saturday, November 10th.

Board of Education meets next Wednesday night.

Lions Club meets next Tuesday night. Village Inn, 6.15 p.m.

Bought a bond yet? Saturday, Nov. 10, will be poppy day in Grimsby.

There are 318 ratepayers of North Grimsby eligible for jury duty for 1945-46.

Next Monday is Guy Fawkes Day. How many of the present generation know who Guy Fawkes was?

W. D. Fairbrother of Beamsville, Registrar of Lincoln county, has been elected a vice-president of the Registrar's of Deeds Association of Ontario.

Fire Chief Alf. LePage goes north deer hunting on Saturday. In his absence Capt. Clarence McNinch will be in charge of the fire department.

Robert C. Bourne and Owen Patterson leave on Sunday on a deer hunting expedition to the North Country. No epidemic of fear has broken out in the deer herds as yet.

There will be a special matinee at the Romy theatre on Thursday, Nov. 8th, at 4.15, for school children, for the showing of the all cartoon feature, "The Three Caballeros."

Hewson basket factory is being lined outside with asbestos siding, which not only makes the building more fire proof but also warmer. The business office has also been enlarged and is much lighter than heretofore.

Fred E. Gurney in renewing his subscription to The Independent wishes to be remembered to all his friends in Grimsby and district. Fred is now living in Dallas, Texas but thinks there is no place like Grimsby.

Frank E. Russ left on Monday morning for Port Loring, deer hunting. This is Frank's 50th anniversary as a stalker of deer and in all that space of time he never failed to bring home his quota except once.

David Copeland with five years and seven months service overseas has received his discharge from the army. We understand that he will take a position with the Canadian Postal Service and with Mrs. Copeland will reside in Toronto.

Michael Milovick, of R.R. 2, Smithville, Ont., was elected an athletic representative by the first year engineering class of Queen's University recently. More than a thousand of the University's record registration of 2300 are ex-servicemen and women.

Grimsby stove foundry closes down on Friday night for a period of time. All the men will be laid off with the exception of five who will be busy overhauling, repairing and building old and new patterns and giving the plant a general clean up and overhaul.

Unless something unforeseen crops up The Thomas Studio of Portraiture will be opened for business in its new location, on Monday of next week. The new studio is upstairs in the Thomas block, Main west entrance next to the Grimsby Fuel and Feed. You can now telephone 555 for appointments.

Somewhere on the highways of the United States is a Grimsby naval man, hitch-hiking to California to visit a chum that he served with in the R.C.N. He is Radar Howie Duffield, who is on 30 day discharge leave and to put in the time he decided to make a fast trip to the land of oranges, sunshine and batty movie people.

## Time Table For Ration Coupons

Here are the dates various coupons become valid in November:

Nov. 1—MEAT	M 9
BUTTER	128
Nov. 8—MEAT	M 10
BUTTER	—
Nov. 15—MEAT	M 11
BUTTER	129
SUGAR	66 & 67
PRESERVES P20 & P21	—
Nov. 22—MEAT	M 12
BUTTER	130
Nov. 29—MEAT	M 13
BUTTER	131

No butter coupons it should be noted become valid on Thursday November 8th.

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**FOR SALE**—Quebec Cook stove high enamel shelf. Apply J. Cowan, Grimsby Centre, across from school. 17-1p

**FOR SALE** — Hot water tank and gas heater. Apply Mrs. William Hunter, Central Ave., Grimsby Beach. 17-1p

**FOR SALE**—McClary's large size circulating heater, like new; Tapestry covered studio couch. Apply Box 126 The Independent. 17-1p

Peace is the period when the army isn't as efficient as in war time. The politicians run the army during peace.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Set of Books of Knowledge. Telephone 106. 17-1p

**WANTED**—Truck 1 ton or 1 1/2 ton. Apply T. Stadler Hawke's Hall. 15-3p

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## FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

### VAGABOND LEAVES

To some of us, autumn leaves, once they have shaken loose from their moorings, are more fun than they are work. They are nature's most delightful vagabonds. Spiraling to the earth, they huddle in restless groups as if waiting some signal for dispersal. Then suddenly, spurred on by coy breezes, these leafy knights of the road scatter in all directions.

Some scamper on to bushes where they hang by their toes in clownish glee. Some tap out a dance on village streets while others do a "mulberry bush" on the sidewalk.

The more mischievous race on to velvety lawns for a lively game of leap frog. Then, suddenly weary, these errant fellows stretch out for their winter's nap—that is, if the man of the house doesn't care how his lawn looks.

But raking leaves, so far as some of us are concerned, is not a tiresome task. It gets one out of doors on those clear, steely autumn days. And there is satisfaction in a neat lawn or a flower bed snug and warm for the winter under a carpet of leaves.

There's pleasure, too, in watching the first thin spiral of smoke weave its way skyward through the trees from the pile you've raked. And where is there a smell so pungent as the aroma of burning leaves? What if Johnny jumps in and scatters your pile to the winds?

Really now, there's fun in that too—for Johnny.

### UNION DICTATORSHIP

Strikes and labor unrest are paramount issues in Canada today. In this connection we print herewith an editorial, under the caption "Union Dictatorship." Which recently appeared in The Railway Review. This editorial has been reprinted and distributed throughout Canada, in pamphlet form, by the National Union of Railwaymen, Royal Bank Building, Winnipeg, Man. It is well worth perusing and studying.

In Canadian labour relations a recent and steadily growing development is the closed shop—an issue which has been the cause of several large strikes since the outbreak of war, and which threatens to be the cause of many more labour disputes in the future.

For one reason or another, the average Canadian citizen has little knowledge of the implications of the closed shop policy. A contributing factor to this situation is the lack of publicity which has been given to the issue outside of union circles, and another is the erroneous belief that it has no bearing on any except industrial relationship. Actually, the closed shop is an issue that vitally affects every citizen, directly or indirectly. Because it is a public issue, plainly it behooves the conscientious citizen to undertake at least a rough analysis of the closed shop, to study its ramifications and possibilities, and its likely effect on the daily life of Canadians generally. Public opinion should be in a position to recognize the closed shop system for what it is—union dictatorship. Because public opinion will largely determine whether the closed shop shall continue to masquerade as an essential to complete industrial democracy—or whether it shall be prohibited by statute as a potential menace to individual freedom.

Admittedly, some of the arguments advanced in favour of the closed shop seem to have merit on the face of them, and among well-meaning—and otherwise well-informed—groups on the side of both capital and labour the closed shop is being promoted in the mistaken idea that only the closed shop is a genuine union shop. Exploiting this misunderstanding to the full are various sections of organized labour eager to fill their coffers and swell their ranks by whatever manner of means present themselves. Pre-war, the main objective of these pressure organizations was to secure the right to collective bargaining. Now that the employer is required by law to recognize and negotiate with the union representing the majority of

his employees, the pressure unions are trying to force compulsory acceptance of the closed shop, check-off, and maintenance of membership clauses. To this end they are bending their best energies, aided by several legal loopholes in current labour legislation and by the apathy of an unaroused public.

Although, even with the recognition of collective bargaining as legal procedure, the federal law remains the same as it was before the war, in that it makes no provision for the closed shop or check-off practices in industry, the loopholes exist in some of the clauses of the latest orders-in-council. Particularly is this true in P.C. 1003 where certain clauses have a bearing on closed shop practices even though specific mention is not made of same. For instance, Section 20 (1) of P.C. 1003 reads:

No person shall, with a view to compelling or influencing a person to join a trade union or employees' organization, use coercion or intimidation of any kind, but this subsection shall not be construed to prohibit the inclusion of any provision in a collective agreement.

The first part of this section plainly forbids the use of force or intimidation to compel workers to join any labour organization, but under the last part of the clause the use of coercion becomes permissible provided the closed shop is included in a collective agreement between the employer and the labour union.

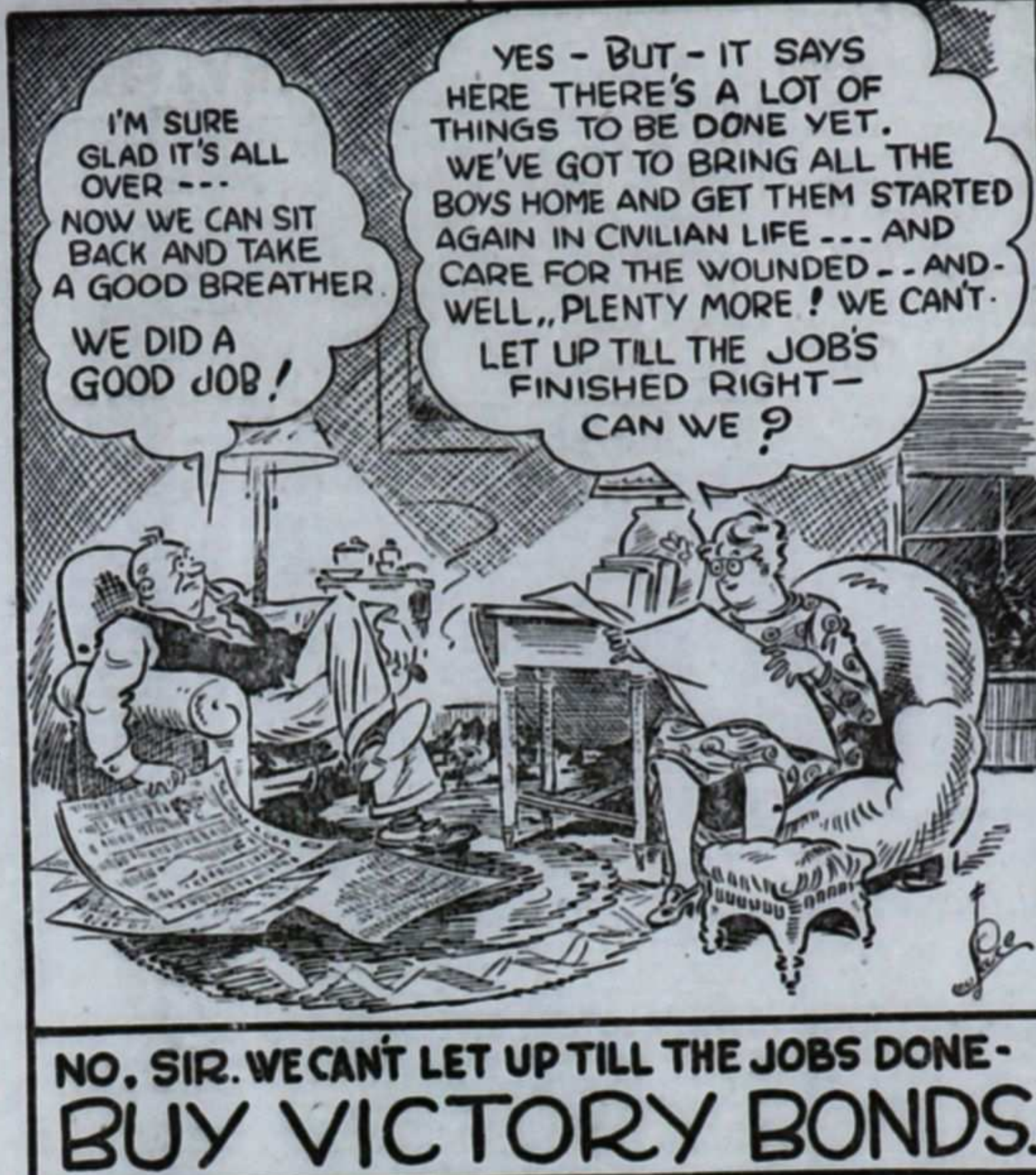
While to date argument on the closed shop has centred mainly around its desirability from the point of view of employer and employee, rather than around its status in the eyes of the law, it is time the legality of the closed shop was disputed in this country. Surely no order-in-council can be permitted to override the inalienable rights of the individual, the rights he enjoys as a British subject. In a democratic society it is the right of the individual to join or to refrain from joining any labour, fraternal, religious or political group, as he so chooses. Any attempt to legislate away a man's civil rights under threat of loss of his employment must be nipped in the bud, or the free right to work may be summarily denied to all men.

Firmly opposing the closed shop are the forces of independent unionism and free labour everywhere. Their strong opposition is based on the contention that the closed shop is wrong in principle, that it is undemocratic and monopolistic, that it conflicts with the inherent rights of the individual by forcing obedience without freedom of choice.

Because the basis of the closed shop practice, union maintenance and check-off clauses, is monopoly, establishment of the closed shop enables the majority union to suppress minority groups and to entrench itself firmly in power. Ironically, the very unions fostering the closed shop are prone to bitter criticism of monopoly in industry, while refusing to recognize that the principle of monopoly is the same whether it applies in the trade union field or in the packing industry. The powerful monopoly group can exploit its advantage in its own interests to the detriment of other groups.

Under a trade union monopoly every member is compelled to pay a certain fee for the right to work, the fee being determined by the union bosses. Failure to pay the fee or dues, deprives the member of his livelihood in the particular monopolized industry. To defend this kind of monopoly is as logical as to maintain that now the Liberal party is returned to power in Ottawa all Canadian citizens must pay toll to and support that political party and no other. That would be monopoly in the political arena, where the majority party could force the support of all the nation's people. If such a state of affairs were introduced, the workers would be up in arms against it, as they would be if the strongest religious group in the country were to attempt enforcement of a monopoly in the field of worship and demand that all men pay tribute to its church only. Yet the workers, in industry after industry, are allowing union lords of a majority union to dictate to the extent of destroying the individual's right to liberty of thought and freedom of choice when, no matter how willing a worker a man may be, loss of livelihood is his fate if he does not submit to union dictatorship in the form of the closed shop and the check-off.

Some of the methods used in this country to establish the closed shop are reminiscent of the tactics Hitler and Mussolini used to set up their regimes. The pressure unions are barring no holds in their attempt to vanquish any who oppose the imposition of union dictatorship in Canadian industry. One of their primary objects is to oust independent unionism, which propagates the idea that the best labour-management relations can be set up through direct voluntary negotiation between the workers and the employer. A good example of this policy exists on Canadian railways, where, under open shop conditions, exemplary union-management relationships prevail, to the mutual benefit of both railway workers and companies. Further, the independent unions have been frank to claim that the closed shop is an admittance of the failure of union leadership, an outward confession that the pressure union cannot attract the required membership but must resort to compulsion to maintain its ranks, even to the extent of forcing government sanction of its dictatorial methods in some instances.



## 'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

"East side, West side,  
All around the Town—  
The Sidewalks of New York"

New York may be a big town, it is a big town, but its sidewalks never had anything on Grimsby Town, which is also a big town, because it is my town, and I only wish that all the other Grimsbyites thought the same way, for if they did there would not be so many of them so well and popularly known by the managers and clerks in the Hamilton stores, Heli, Ho.

Anyway Grimsby has sidewalks, always did have sidewalks and I hope always will have sidewalks, therefore I give you this week a short story on the sidewalk history of "The Old Forty."

In the history of the council of the township of Grimsby as published in The Independent in 1922-23 there is no mention whatever of sidewalks in what afterwards became the village of Grimsby.

There is a mention in 1850 of sidewalks in Smithville, but only in that year, and apparently sidewalks came under "roads and bridges."

That there were sidewalks in Grimsby long before it was made a village in 1876 is a certainty; as for instance the late E. J. Palmer used to tell me of the trenchery of the one-plank walk on the western hill when he was attending school close to a century ago.

The first mention in council history of sidewalks is in March, 1876, after incorporation as a village. This mention is in a motion which in part reads: That Thomas Hill be employed as a corporation laborer at \$1.00 per day of ten hours to repair sidewalks and other necessary work.

Grimsby town is very well supplied with walks now, though some of them are rather freakish, and some have been somewhat expensive. But Grimsby has from the first had plenty of freaks in the way of sidewalks. The idiosyncrasies of some of those in charge were plainly shown in the old days the same as now. For instance, back about 1883. There had been a two-plank walk laid lengthwise on the south side of Main street from the Culp home east to Robinson street for many years, and it having served its usefulness it was decided to change it to a wider walk with the plank laid crosswise. Charlie Bates and Ves Oakley were the board of works and Tommy

How much longer we will have to tolerate this undemocratic practise of forcing men to pay for the right to work will depend on the interest displayed in the closed shop issue by the public generally and by every worker and employer in the country. There is nothing to gain, and everything to lose, if the principle of compulsion, as defined in the closed shop practice, is allowed to spread. Many a worker now supporting this practice, under the delusion that he is strengthening the union to which he presently belongs, will rue his shortsightedness. For, once the closed shop becomes effective in any industry, the union bosses become literal dictators. They can exact toll in the form of dues and assessments to any amount they choose, and they can direct the spending of that toll in any way they see fit. Any refusal to pay by a rank-and-filer, or any objection to union expenditures, brings upon the dissenting member discharge from his place of employment—and the probability, if he works in a well-organized trade, that he will find the same conditions prevailing anywhere else he seeks work. As under any form of dictatorship, the only choice is for the individual to accept the dictates of the union and to forego his own inalienable rights as a free citizen.

William Penn aptly said, "Obedience without liberty is slavery." Canadian workers might well make that their battle cry as they rally to keep Canadian unionism free from the dictatorship of the closed shop.



Bond salesmen popping hither and yon.

Insurance agents so thick they are tripping over one another.

Oliver Shaw, re-"tired," has joined the daily sessions of the curb stone parliamentarians.

The Thompson kids and their black poodle pup. You just try and take that pup away from them.

Our legal light, Harold B. Matchett carrying home the groceries. Also a brand new rake. Now who is going to use that rake?

"Bill" Coon the venerable fruit grower of Grimsby Beach giving the town the once over. "Bill" has looked Grimsby over for a lot of years and still thinks it is the "Biggest Little Town in The World." "Bill" may spend this winter in Florida. Hope he does.

Hill was still on the job. The most interesting squabbles were held on the hillside as to the building of this walk. Charlie Bates was a tailor by trade and I believe a good one. He worked for the late Robert Phipps, father of A. E. Phipps, and from all accounts was quite a character.

I believe that Bates was one of the English army regulars that came to this country about 1860 and eventually settled here. Mr. Phipps also was, I am sure of that. "Ves" Oakley was the late Sylvester Oakley, for over half a century an employee of the late John H. Groat and who lived to the ripe old age of 87 years. He was the father of Mrs. Linus Woolverton, Elm St., LeRoy Oakley of Montreal and Henry of Winnipeg.

Each member of the works board had his own views; and each was perverse enough to not give in. Who won the day memory does not serve; but the same man-trap freak grade has been continued to this day. And if you do not think it is a menace try to go up that walk (in front of the Culp residence) on a slippery day.

Plank walks were in order until 1897 when asphalt walks were built on a portion of Main street. But these were a fizzle and boy were they hot. I ran over them many a day in my bare feet and cried all night with the pain from the burns. In 1903 concrete was started, the first walk being built on Depot street from Main to Adelaide. And now they are all concrete. The first concrete or cement sidewalk was laid by the late Major William C. Gibson, husband and father of that gracious lady and her son and daughter who reside on Robinson street south and a brother of John H.

The late Solomon Wismer was reeve when this first concrete walk was built. "Battling Bill" Mitchell was reeve in 1904 and for many years afterwards and cement flew like snowflakes "all around the town" for many years and that is why Grimsby has more good sidewalks for its size than any town in Canada. Incidentally the real growth and development of Grimsby started right here and continued all through the long reign of "King William," but that's another story.—S'long.

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### Added Features

Earrings, reads this fashion tip, brighten up a face, help to re-shape it, accept a costume, reflect good taste. But, it adds hastily, if your face is plump, don't wear glitter, or color or big chunks of anything unless you are willing to advertise the shape and size of your face... Well, if the Ubangi is willing...

### The Weaker Sex

Platitudes about the weaker sex should be revised according to insurance statisticians, who point out, from no less weighty a source than their own "age-adjustment death rates" that these dropped 43 per cent. among women as against 26 among men. From this they deduce that the women are a harder lot than men.

### A costly romance

Marrying, this week, an army officer whom she met by chance on a golf course, has cost an English lady the income from a \$4,000,000 estate and has enriched her children by the same amount. A clause in the will of her late husband provided that should she re-marry she would forfeit the income, which would, in turn, be inherited by her three children. The husband, who rose from a baker's boy to be a millionaire and was known as Britain's "slab-cake king," died in 1935.

### Little Sounds

Now I will listen to little sounds  
As I've never listened before;  
The milkman clattering on his rounds,  
The click of the garden door,  
Pipes that gurgle and taps that sob,  
A clock that fusses and scolds,  
A creaking board and a rattling knob  
And the swish of the curtain folds.

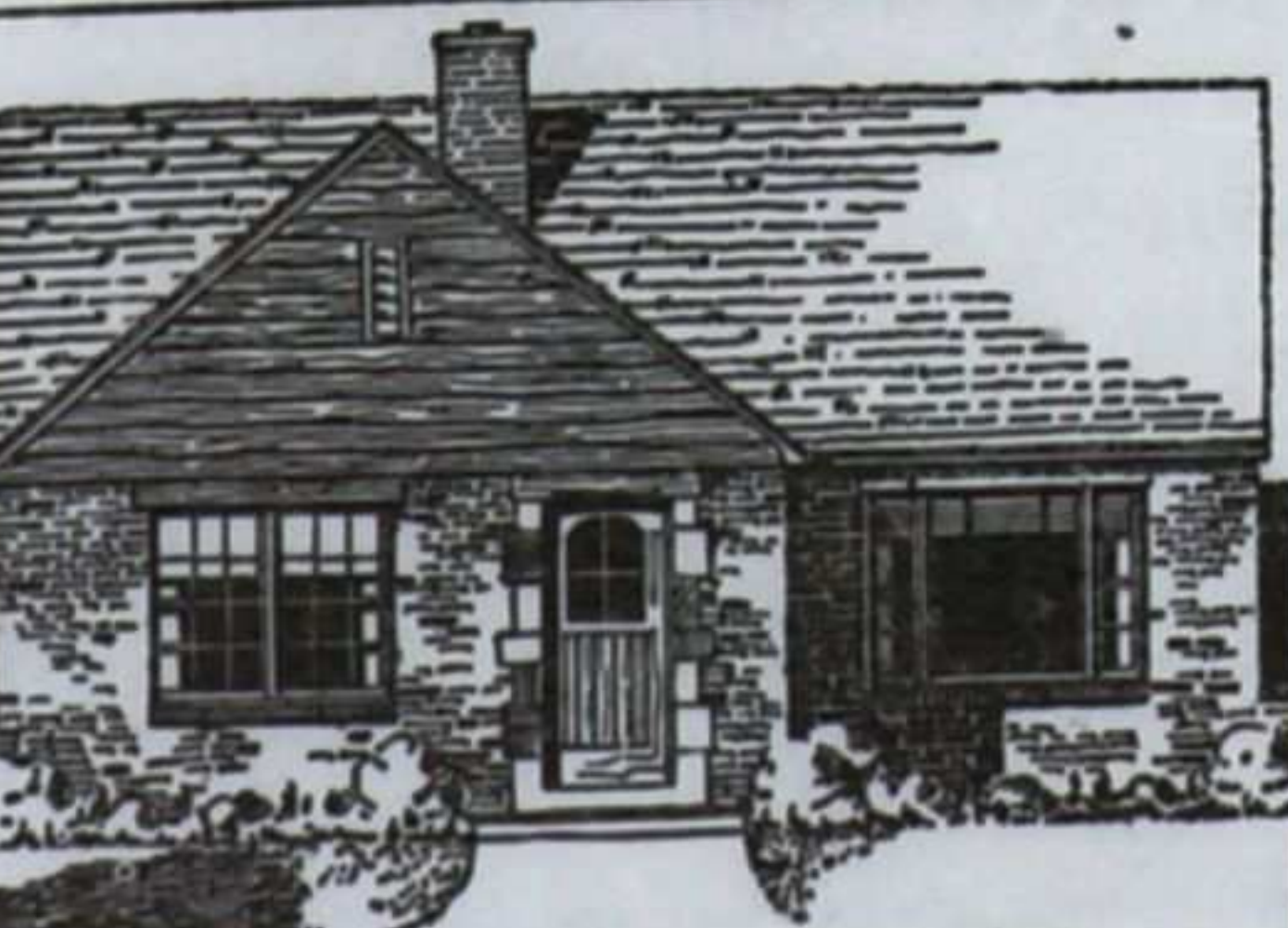
Orderly sounds that have quiet names  
And mix in a friendly choir;  
The startled giggles of whispering flames  
Whenever I poke the fire.  
Voices that drift from the street below,  
The purr of a passing car—  
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**THEY WANT A CHEF'S TALL HAT:** For the first time in this country an apprentice cooks' school, established in the Canadian Pacific's coast-to-coast hotel chain, is giving Canadian youth an opportunity to learn the art of cooking. It opens up to them a chance to enter a profession which will not be overcrowded for years. Their practical training will allow them to assist in kitchens, thus releasing experienced cooks for other duties, such as the direction of Ernest J. Wetli, (lower left) catering supervisor of Canadian Pacific hotels, 14 young men have begun the two-year course at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto with 10 of the embryo cooks who are undergoing training shown above. Mr. Wetli is now organizing the school at the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec and will line up similar courses in C.P.R. hotels at Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Victoria in their turn.



Hello Homemakers! The element of surprise adds zest to meals. Providing those exciting guises for everyday foods puts meal planning and preparation on a level with the arts.

For example, the onion, plain and lowly as it appears, offers countless possibilities to the woman who regards cooking as an art. She uses it in varying amounts as a seasoning. A teaspoon of onion juice is added to potato salad, one small, finely minced onion flavors a meat loaf, or six large onions may be used as the basis of French onion soup.

But the use of onions does not stop with their seasoning value. They are a vegetable and should often be served as such—not always creamed or fried, but glorified in a main dish. If you've never served onions au gratin or stuffed onions why not try one or both to achieve that element of surprise your family enjoys?

**ONIONS AU GRATIN**  
Parboil small white onions or large onions, quartered, until almost tender (30 mins.). Drain and place in greased casserole dish. Cover onions with a medium white sauce, sprinkle with grated cheese and top with bread crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degs.) for 30 mins. This makes an excellent supper or lunch dish on a chilly day.

**GLAZED STUFFED ONIONS**  
6 large onions, 1/2 cup chopped celery, 2 tbsps. chopped parsley, 3 tbsps. bacon or beef drippings, 2 cups soft bread crumbs, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. pepper, 2 tbsps. corn syrup or honey, 2 tbsps. hot water, 1 tbsps. fat.

Peel onions and cut in half. Place in large saucepan and cover with boiling water. Cook gently for 15 mins. or until partly tender. Drain carefully so onions will remain intact. Remove centres of onions (without disturbing the layers) and chop them fine. Cook celery and parsley in drippings for 5 mins. using low heat to avoid browning. Add bread crumbs, salt and pepper and the chopped onion centres. Fill onion shells with this stuffing. Arrange in greased baking dish. Combine syrup or honey with hot water and fat. Use this mixture, a few spoonfuls at a time, to baste onions while they are baking. Bake in an electric oven (350 degs.) until the onions are tender. Yield: 6 servings.

**ONION DUMPLINGS**  
6 large onions, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 1/2 lb. sausage meat, salt and pepper, plain pastry, tomato sauce.

Parboil onions in salted water for 20 to 30 mins. Drain well. Remove a portion of the onion centres. Chop the part removed. Sauté sausage meat to brown slightly, then combine it with the chopped onion and the soft bread crumbs. Pack in centres of onions and allow onions to stand until cool. Roll out plain pastry. Cut in squares sufficiently large to wrap around onions in the same fashion as apple dumplings. Bake in electric oven (450 degs.) for 15 mins. Then reduce heat to 375 degs. and bake 20 mins. longer. Serve with tomato sauce. Yield: 6 servings.

**THE QUESTION BOX**  
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### Dials Without Hands



Capt. Allan Piper of Cornwall, Ontario, has no hands. He lost them overseas. But he can now dial a telephone number, make intricate toys in his home workshop, work his own garden and handle his pre-war job as foreman in a paper mill. How he does it will be shown in the new Victory Loan movie, "Valiant Company", to be shown throughout Canada soon. The purchase of Ninth Victory Loan bonds will help thousands of other Canadians to overcome physical handicaps incurred in their battle for Canada's freedom.

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That our studio will be re-opened in our new location on

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## THE THOMAS STUDIO OF PORTRAITURE

TELEPHONE 555 FOR APPOINTMENT.

# SALVAGE COLLECTION

A Collection of Newspapers, Magazines, Rags, Bottles, Glass and all other kinds of Salvage will be held in GRIMSBY and NORTH GRIMSBY on

# SAT., NOV. 10

Place your Salvage on the curb early and trucks will pick it up.

This Collection is being made under the auspices of West Lincoln Branch 127, Canadian Legion.



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— plus —

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**Hangover Square**

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Time—8.00 and 10.25

— plus —

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**Conflict**

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8th

The Three Caballeros

An All Cartoon Feature

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**FOR TWO WEEKS**

**Thursday, Friday and Saturday**  
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We have a fine stock of nearly all leading varieties of fruit trees and berry plants, for fall or spring delivery. In Red Raspberries we have a large stock of Viking, Latham and Taylor, grown on new soil and which are exceptionally well-rooted. Immediate shipment can be made.

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**SERVICEMEN  
ARRIVE HOME**

Corp. Earl W. Luey, the last of the four Luey boys who served overseas returned home on Monday. He is a son of Mrs. Vera Luey, Ontario street. Earl was Asst-Scoutmaster of Grimsby troop, Boy Scouts when he enlisted in 1940 with the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. He served for a short time on the west coast and then the unit was moved to Jamaica where they were stationed for 21 months, returning to Canada in the summer of 1942 and almost immediately proceeded overseas. Earl landed in France on D-Day and served all through the European campaign until V-E Day.

Sergt. Blake Mariowe, former Grimsby Beach boy returned to Canada 10 days ago, and has been staying with his sister Mrs. Earl Swift, Burlington. "Cracker" has been in town this week looking up old friends. He enlisted in 1939 with the 48th Highlanders and then transferred to the Lincoln and Welland Regt. He landed on the beaches of Normandy and was all through the European campaign. A brother Maurice returned from overseas service about three months ago. Both boys are the sons of the late James Mariowe.

Pte. R. A. Gregory, came home on the Queen Elizabeth. He enlisted in 1943 with the Royal Canadian Artillery. While on duty in England he was severely injured and underwent a major operation. He is married and has a son and a daughter. His father the late George Gregory, was the first man from Grimsby killed in action in the First Great War.

**G.H.S. News**

**JANIE**

The Halloween Dance on Friday night was a very successful affair, thanks to the excellent committee in charge. The evening was spent in dancing and a lunch was served. The variety of costumes this year was very good—choir boys, ballet dancers, old fashioned costumes, babies, and among others including a very mysterious negro mammy. The girls best costume prize went to Alice Robinson who was an old fashioned lady, the boys best costume, Teddy Robertson who appeared as a sweet little baby, William Fisher received the funniest costume award, for being a grandmother of a few years back.

Ridley College junior football team played G.H.S. juniors here yesterday, more about it next week.

**Obituary**

**JOHN GILLESPIE**

A well known resident of Grimsby Beach for the past 23 years, the death occurred in Hamilton hospital on Monday of John Gillespie, in his 89th year.

Deceased had not been in the best of health for some time and two weeks ago he had the misfortune to have a bad fall and suffered a broken hip and since then has been confined to hospital.

He was born on Wolfe Island, opposite Kingston, where he had farmed all his life up until his retirement in 1922, when he moved to Grimsby.

He was a member of St. Andrew's Anglican Church. Surviving are two sons and four daughters, Harold and Herbert of Grimsby Beach; Mrs. Harper Gillham of Ottawa; Mrs. H. F. Berry of Quebec; Mrs. N. M. Cooke, Toronto and Mrs. Geddes Thomson, Evanston, Ill.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon from the Stonehouse Funeral Home, Rev. E. A. Brooks, officiating. Interment in Queen's Lawn cemetery.

Casket bearers were his two sons Harold and Herbert Gillespie, two sons-in-law, H. F. Berry and N. M. Cooke and Willson and Allen Nelles.

**CHARLES TENNANT**

A well known and highly respected resident of Louth Township, in the person of Charles Tennant, beloved husband of Lavina Wright Tennant, passed away last Wednesday at the family residence, following an illness of some duration. Born in Leeds county, he later moved to Parry Sound, and in 1914 came to this community where he had since resided. For a number of years he had successfully carried on the occupation of farming and many friends both in business and private life will learn with sincere regret of his passing.

In religion, he was an adherent of First United Church. He was also a member of the Fairview Men's Club and for several years acted in the capacity of caretaker of Fairview school. He was keenly interested in hunting and fishing and many of his leisure hours were spent in that manner. In 1939, Mr. and Mrs. Tennant celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. He is survived by his sorrowing widow, three daughters, Mrs. Edward Alves of Parry Sound, Mrs. Hugh Swayze of St. Catharines, Mrs. Fred McKenzie of Louth Township and two sons, George Tennant of Grimsby, and Albert Tennant of Clarkson. A daughter, Elsie, predeceased him in 1924. Sixteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren also survive.

**Lincoln's First  
Pheasant Hunt**

(St. Catharines Standard.)

The Laird of Jordan Station Lincoln County game historian and statistician, makes a correction of, reputedly, an official statement this week, as to the date of the first pheasant hunt in this county. The statement was to the effect that the first hunt was in the year 1924.

Our unimpeachable authority, with supporting evidence, recalls that the first hunt was in 1910 and there was an open season for a whole month, October 15 to November 15. And what an opening day it was! Our informant states that he hunted in Orchard Park territory that day, with the late Dr. Charles O. Beam, Ontario, street and it was estimated that more than 1,500 hunters were out in the district. They had every kind of shooting iron known to man and to antiquity. There were rifle bullets whizzing through the air, and it was dangerous. After the first day's barrage, the hunting steadied down and it was comfortable, with plenty of birds to bag.

Thirty-five years ago is a long time. The interesting point is the plentitude of the game birds for that month open season. Perhaps that can be accounted for by the fact that motor cars were not so numerous then as now and the fields, shrubbery, and gullies were not searched out, then, with the proverbial fine tooth comb. Perhaps, too, there was less poaching. Some of the best informed game authorities are sure this year that a certain element has infiltrated into farm life hereabouts, which has no respect for game laws at all, but consider the family pot first. An increase in the number of game wardens might be the antidote.

**Paid-Up List**

Major H. F. Baker, Grimsby — Oct. '46  
John Fillimchuk, Grimsby — July '46  
W. Fillimchuk, Grimsby — Nov. '45  
B. W. Shantz, Grimsby — Nov. '46  
Spencer Merritt, Grimsby — Aug. '46  
Mrs. Leslie Book, Beamsville — Oct. '46

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**THERE ARE STILL**

as the subscription lists have not been returned to headquarters yet. Charles DelaPlante is top salesman to date with \$55,050. Norm Harris is top salesman in numbers of individual subscriptions secured with 117. A total of 561 subscriptions have been received to date.

When you buy a bond—two bonds, or three bonds—you are only helping your own Grimsby boys and girls in the services.

Grimsby had a total enlistment of 585. At the present time there are still 125 Grimsby boys and girls overseas or on the high seas. We had 32 killed in action, 25 or more wounded, some of them wounded more than once. There are four amputation cases. Since returning home several have developed illness and are receiving hospital treatment.

It is your bond money that will bring the rest of those boys and girls home. It is your money that will take care of those that are ill and those who have had limbs amputated.

The actual fighting of war is over. But the fight for the lives of some of our boys and girls must go on. The rehabilitation of these boys and girls to civilian life costs money. You must provide that money. Buy another bond today.

**TAKE A VICTORY BOND—IT'S FREE**

I have heard people sigh at word of the Victory Loan Campaign, and say, "I suppose I have to buy another bond. But I don't see how I can afford it."

This is just like saying, "I suppose I really ought to start saving money, but it's an awfully expen-

sive thing to do!"

The fact is, of course, that you don't buy bonds. As W. B. Bachman, a Detroit writer, forcefully pointed out the other day, the speakers on the radio and the poster artists and the advertising writers have been using the wrong word for four long years. They have been asking the public to do something that is impossible. You can't spend money on bonds. You simply take them. They cost you nothing. My bonds are nothing but certificates showing that the family has made a deposit in the Treasury instead of in a bank or a cookie jar. When we take a bond we transfer a bank deposit to the safest depository in the world—the Canadian Treasury. We put in non-interest notes and we get an interest-bearing note as our deposit slip!

To take a bond—not that word "take"—is still a patriotic act. That alone is inducement enough for any Canadian. Just as your money in the bank pays for loans and investments and all the bank's manifold activities, so your money in the Treasury helps to care for the wounded, to end war contracts, to maintain armies of occupation, to bring home returning fighters, to prevent inflation. Your bonds brought about the mighty atomic blasts that put a period to this war. Your bonds today are returning flesh to the bones of those who survived wounds or prison-camp torture—of unknown thousands of our men who played their own gallant parts in the total defeat of our enemies.

So get bonds today—and hold onto them. That is about as close as you are likely to come in this life to having your cake and eating it too.

Every country has its natural beauty. She has usually won a number of beauty contests.

**Buy Victory Bonds**  
**"SALADA"**  
**TEA**

**Junior Farmers  
News Items**

The Lincoln County Junior Farmers Association have completed plans for their Annual "At Home and Dance" to be held on Friday evening, November 16th, at the Leonard Hotel, St. Catharines. Invitations and tickets have been distributed to the Chairman of the Board of Directors in each of the eight Townships. These in turn will be turned over to the Committee of seven other Directors who will mail them or distribute them to their friends in the various Townships. The chairmen of the Townships are as follows: Niagara—Harry Dawson; Clinton—Lloyd Rouse; Louth—John Wiley; S. Grimsby—Angle Dalrymple; N. Grimsby—Ashley Elliott; Gainsboro—Audrey Vaughan; Caistor—Sidney Slater; Grantham—Ernest Masterson.

This "At Home" promises to be of the same high order as of previous years with the same orchestra which provided very popular music last year namely The Philip Gage 12 piece Orchestra from Hamilton.

The regular meeting of all County Directors will be held at the home of John Powell, Niagara St., St. Catharines, about 1 mile north-east of the St. Catharines city limits, at 8:15 p.m. Wednesday November 7th. The girls are providing refreshments in the form of Pumpkin Pie as it is so near the Halloween season. A special feature will be an address by Howard Prentice on the "Social Credit System."

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NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

**THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD**  
**FARMERS' BULLETIN**

**FARM MACHINERY OFF RATION LIST**

All rationing controls have been removed from sales of farm machinery, and restrictions on the production or importation of such machinery have been lifted. Price controls remain. Generally, maximum price for farm implements is the price at which such items sold during the basic period, August 15—September 11, 1941. Quoted prices do not include cost of delivery to the purchaser.

Under Consumers' Credit Order No. 225, section 10, terms of sale for farm machinery are: 1/3 of quoted price paid in cash; the balance of the credit price to be paid within two years of the date of the contract in stated amounts at specified dates. Any allowance for a trade-in is to be deducted from the unpaid balance.

Despite the lifting of production restrictions, it is expected that the shortage of components such as malleable castings and sheet steel will limit the maximum output of farm implements during the year July 1, 1945, to June 30, 1946, to a 24% increase (on tonnage basis) over the output in the preceding 12 months.

**Farmers' Poultry Prices**

Farmers selling all types of poultry, except turkeys, direct to consumers are permitted a 25% markup over the wholesale ceiling prices established for the zone in which they are located. Turkey producers are allowed a 20% markup over the wholesale level.

**Potato Storage Allowance**  
(Order A-1560 now in effect)

A storage allowance of 5c per 75-lb. bag of potatoes and 7c per 100-lb. bag is allowed on November 1. Another 5c per 75-lb. bag and 6c per 100-lb. bag may be added on December 1, and another 5c per 75-lb. bag and 7c per 100-lb. bag on January 1, 1946. There will be no storage adjustment for February but monthly increases will be resumed on March 1.

**FARMERS' RATION COUPONS**

Coupons covering farmer sales or farm household consumption of meat and butter, and sales of preserves must be forwarded to Local Ration Boards in primary producers' envelopes (RB-61). Reports for November should reach the Local Ration Boards not later than December 10. Following are the valid coupon dates for November:

	MEAT	BUTTER	SUGAR	PRESERVES
November 1.....	M 9	128	..	..
" 8.....	M 10	..	..	..
" 15.....	M 11	129	66, 67	P 20, 21
" 22.....	M 12	130	..	..
" 29.....	M 13	131	..	..

Farmers are required to send in "M" coupons to the Local Ration Board for meat they consume, and meat they sell to farmer neighbours at the rate of 4 lbs. per coupon. Farmers who slaughter meat need not turn in at the end of the month more than half the valid meat coupons in the ration books of their household. Farmers who purchase meat from other farmers must surrender to the selling farmer one meat coupon for every 4 lbs. of meat purchased, even if this means surrendering coupons not yet valid.

**FARM SLAUGHTERERS**

Farmers who slaughter for their own household consumption or for the consumption of their farmer neighbours, are not required to hold a slaughter permit. Any excess of farm slaughtered meat over the farmer's or his neighbour's needs may be sold only to the holder of a regular slaughter permit in quantities not less than a quarter of Beef or a side of Pork. Sheep, lamb or calves slaughtered by the farmer for his own or his neighbour's use may not be sold into the meat trade.

Licensed slaughterer's quotas for cattle have been temporarily suspended and until further notice a licensed slaughterer may slaughter all the cattle needed for his requirements.

**Rationing** is your assurance of a fair share.  
is a protection against waste... shortages... inflation.  
That is why farmers are asked to continue to collect and turn in coupons to their Local Ration Boards—once a month—in the RB-61 envelopes.

For further information apply to the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.